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For: INTERLAYER FILM FOR LAMINATED

GLASSES AND LAMINATED GLASS

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111 (NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 16, 2008 in the above-captioned case.

No Amendments to the Claims have been made in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.